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## Fateful Battle For Singapore Is Fiercely Waged

### Australians Use Bayonets In Counter Stroke

SINGAPORE, Jan. 29.—(P)—Fierce fighting Australian troops wielding bayonets in close fighting successfully counter-attacked the Japanese above Singapore, it was announced today, but the British far east command indicated the picked Japanese troops had penetrated to about 30 miles from the Strait of Johore.

The Strait of Johore, along whose shores the British have begun clearing a mile-wide strip in preparation for the battle of Singapore island, separates the fortified island from the mainland by about a mile of water.

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(This communiqué indicates a considerable advance by the Japanese, since the latest report had located the fighting in that area about 15 or 20 miles to the north, around Kluang and Ayer-Hitam.)

On the east coast the Japanese were fighting the British about Ulu Sedili, on the Sedili river 28 miles south of Mersing and 40 miles north of the Strait of Johore, the headquarters communiqué reported.

The Japanese veteran Fifth Division is fighting on the central sector.

To the west, where the Japanese Imperial Guards are leading the way, the British reported no change in the situation.

There heavy fighting was reported around Rengit, 40 odd miles north of Singapore.

**Inflict Heavy Casualties**

The communiqué said Australians fighting on the east coast last Tuesday successfully trapped the Japanese between the Australian and the British and inflicted about 250 casualties. The Australians suffered about 30 casualties, the communiqué said.

Heavy aerial activity by the Japanese continues, it was said, but a Japanese bomber formation which approached Singapore island and this morning was "driven off by our fighter aircraft and forced to jettison their bombs."

Other formations attacked targets on the island, the communiqué added, but reports of damage and casualties had not yet been received.

In the morning attack one of the Hurricane fighters which roared up to challenge the raiders dived into a formation of 27 bombers and when it came out one of the big Japanese planes was trailing smoke.

Overnight Japanese planes attacked Singapore intermittently. Several fires were started but all were extinguished quickly.

General Gordon Bennett, commander of the Australians on the Johore front, declared at his field headquarters that his men have been forced to withdraw from the positions in northern Johore state, where they entered the Malayan battle, because the Japanese have been able to get around the west flank along the coast.

"Our men never have given ground under pressure," he said, "and our gunners have vowed that no Japanese tanks ever will

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### Evidence Of Liberal Funds To Politicians

#### Testimony On Contributions By Utility Officials

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—(P)—Former United States Senator Roscoe C. Patterson of Springfield testified yesterday that he received a \$750 campaign contribution in 1934 from Frank J. Boehm, former executive vice-president of the Union Electric Company of Mis-

souri.

Patterson was one of a parade of witnesses in the federal court trial of the utility company and its former president, Louis H. Egan, on charges of conspiracy and violation of the corrupt practices section of the Holding Company Act.

The government claimed that while Egan was president the company built up a slush fund of \$591,000 and used the money for political purposes.

Patterson, a Republican who served from 1928 to 1934 as senator, said Boehm gave him an envelope which he discovered later, contained \$750. However, the witness related, when he later met Egan, no mention was made of the money nor did Egan offer a contribution.

John J. Nangle, treasurer of the Democratic state committee, testified Boehm contributed \$1,000 to Bernard F. Dickmann's first primary campaign for mayor of St. Louis in 1933. Nangle then was

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### Sell Discarded Tags For Defense

The used automobile license plate container in front of the court house was emptied Wednesday afternoon, and the plates sold to a junk dealer. There were 1,255 pounds of metal.

The licenses are being solicited by a committee of the Civilian Council of Defense, of which Guy Calender is chairman. The container was placed in front of the court house for the convenience of the public and the plates, as they are replaced by the newer ones, are also being left at filling stations and numerous places over the county.

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### Settle An Old Boundary Rift

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 29.—Western hemisphere solidarity was affirmed unanimously and Peru and Ecuador agreed to settle their 111-year-old boundary dispute in triumphant windup of the Pan American Conference here early today.

The conclusion came in post-conference mediation of the Peruvian-Ecuadorian differences several hours after foreign ministers of the 21 American republics had formally adjourned their two-week sessions.

Major fruits of the conference were contained in 41 resolutions—inscribed in English, French, Spanish and Portuguese—recommending severance of relations with the axis, setting up joint military, economic and financial boards and otherwise covering virtually the entire field of Pan American relations.

Ecuador was signed up as the first to endorse them.

Her delegation had insisted on settlement of the boundary dispute as a prerequisite.

This was accomplished at a gathering of Foreign Minister Julio Tobar Donoso of Ecuador, Foreign Minister Dr. Alfredo Sol Muro of Peru and mediating representatives of Argentina, Brazil, Chile and the United States.

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### Marriage License Issued

William Harold Garrett and Dorothy Helen Schott, both of Sedalia.

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### Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. Lucy Tyree, 916 South Lamine avenue, Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaug, Green Ridge and Mrs.

Nancy J. Smith, 400 West Fourth street, were admitted for medical treatment.

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### Kansas Cityan Accused of Slaying His Sister

George W. Welsh, II (right in left picture), 28-year-old Kansas City man, was indicted by a

grand jury on a charge of slaying his sister, Leila Adele Welsh (right), 24. She was the victim of a mutilation slaying in her bedroom March 9. At left is J. A. Purdome, deputy sheriff, who arrested Welsh.

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### Jury Asserts Chief Reed Withheld Clues

#### Critical Over Inquiry In The Welsh Murder

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—(P)—The Jackson county grand jury which indicted George W. Welsh, II, for the murder of his sister asserted in a report today that Lear B. Reed, former chief of police, had concealed evidence and obstructed other enforcement agencies in the Welsh investigation.

The jury report stated that on last March 22, 13 days after pretty Leila Adele Welsh was beaten and hacked to death, "L. B. Reed as chief of police had important information positively identifying the defendant, George W. Welsh, Jr., as the purchaser of the knife with which the victim's throat was cut. Why this evidence was not followed through to a prompt, public, logical and immediate conclusion still remains a source of mystery to this jury."

No formal charge was lodged against Reed but the assertions were contained in the jury's report to Judge Marion D. Waltner asking permission to stay in session longer.

In his charge to the jury last Dec. 9 Judge Waltner asked for an investigation of the Welsh case and, without mentioning Chief Reed's name, referred to "a certain dime novel detective who said two days afterward that he could reach out and put his finger on the perpetrator. Then he proceeds to destroy the evidence."

"The time has ceased to be when we can boast of a fine police department as long as this case remains unsolved," he said. "I don't know what the grand jury can do, but it may be there are things you gentlemen can look into."

**Still In Jail**

Young Welsh, indicted yesterday both as "George Welsh, II" and "George Welsh, Jr." was in jail today after pleading innocent.

His attorneys said they probably would confer with Attorney General Roy McKittrick next Monday to ask a recommendation for his release on bond.

"This grand jury condemns the action of L. B. Reed in ordering the destruction of evidence," the report said. "It also condemns him for releasing evidence to a

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### Nutrition Advice Is Given During Cooking School

"What can I do to help national defense?"

Eager women and club groups throughout the nation are putting that question to food consultants in Washington. Cooking school audiences in state after state ask the same thing of their visiting home economist, "What can I do?" And the uniform answer to the universal query is so un-dramatic that it almost discourages the average questioner. Here it is:

"Start a nutrition movement. Start it in your own family first."

Mrs. George Thurn, conducting the four day cooking school for the Democrat-Capital, at the Liberty theatre, echoes the second nutrition advice of outstanding food authorities in Washington. She emphasizes the national importance of the American homemaker's job throughout the timely culinary course she is giving, and which will be concluded in Sedalia at the close of Friday afternoon's program.

The presence of an AEF on soil of the United Kingdom—in northern Ireland—represents the desire of the United States that her ready troops should establish battle contact as soon as feasible, the prime minister said.

The vote was 464 to one.

The lone negative ballot came from James Maxton, Independent Labor Party, whose two co-members, Jack McGovern and Campbell Stephen, acted as tellers and could not vote. Twenty-four members, mostly Laborites, abstained from voting.

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The news coincided with evidence that Germany has shifted a major portion of its submarine war to American waters, with the reported presence of marauding U-boats right off the coast of Texas.

"Headlong" was the word the war department used to describe the desperate and unsuccessful Japanese attacks against MacArthur on the Batan peninsula of the Island of Luzon. "Enemy losses were heavy," the communiqué added.

One Japanese transport in the Borneo harbor of Balikpapan was destroyed, another set on fire, and two enemy fighting planes

were shot down by five American bombers which returned safely to their base, the department said in describing a Macassar action which apparently was the same told of yesterday at Batavia.

Yesterday the war department issued a communiqué which told of quite a similar attack and for a time it appeared that it was then duplicating the Batavia story.

Today's developments made the total listing of Japanese ships sunk or damaged in the straits definitely at least 38.

Japan's terrible losses in the straits were put even higher in a broadcast by the Sydney, Australia radio. The spokesman there figured the total at 46 warships and transports, the latter carrying 25,000 invasion troops.

Since the enemy trans-Atlantic raiders appeared Jan. 12, all indications have pointed to a more concerted campaign involving greater strength than the spectacular lone-wolf forays of a few U-boats in World War days.

**Prey On Shipping**

The enemy is known to have sunk 14 American or allied ships

—including five of the Canadian coast—and to have lost a number of U-boats in the process. Despite the losses the sphere of operations appears to be widening instead of contracting.

At first navy announcements told of hostile submarine activity off the northeastern coast, next New England was specifically mentioned, then the waters from Hatteras to Nova Scotia, and now the latest official report places raiders deep in the Gulf of Mex-

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### Scouts To Collect Books For Camps

The Boy Scouts in Sedalia will collect books for the USC Saturday, January 31. The people in Sedalia are urged to look through their books and those that they

select, put in paper sacks or tie up in bundles so the Scouts can handle them.

Books are needed in all camps

for the men in the service so

that they may have something to

read in their leisure time. Many

thousands of books are needed to

supply the camps all over the

country.

Sedalia has several men in the

service and they have expressed

their need for books to read. Let

us give all the books we can,

Go out and buy one. Give a

book.

The books will be delivered to

the Sedalia public library.

**Light Docket For February Court Term**

The February term of circuit

court, civil division, will con-

vene Monday morning, at 9

o'clock. The docket is a small

one, 114 cases, 48 jury cases and

66 equity cases. Of the latter 48

are divorce cases.

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### Special Meet For Council Tonight

There will be a special called

meeting of the city council, in the city hall, at 7:30 o'clock tonight, at which time Ralph Elsman, of

Sedalia Water Company, will be

presented to the members of the

city council.

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**Japanese Losses  
In Thrusts On Mac-  
Arthur's Men Heavy**  
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Presumably these U-boats—a navy commandant said they were "doubtlessly German"—slipping through the strait of Florida between Key West and Cuba. Their apparent mission was to prey on coastal shipping, preferably the tankers which shuttle from the gulf oil ports. However, there was a potential threat of even more daring activity, for the Gulf of Mexico via the Yucatan channel is a side entrance to the Caribbean, and the inner approaches to the Panama canal.

Whatever their objectives, the raiders were taking exceptionally long risks, for they have poked their noses into a veritable hornet's nest. A number of air and navy bases ring the gulf. And while army and navy authorities kept mum on counter operations, the belief here was that they were vigorous in nature.

The apparent shift of intensive undersea warfare to unescorted American coastwise shipping had several aspects which aroused interest here.

First was the enemy's evident hope of easy prey—a tacit tribute to the effectiveness of the convoy methods now employed to safeguard the vital shipments flowing to Britain.

Second was the eloquent fact that the enemy felt it necessary at this early date to carry the undersea war in concerted force as close as possible to the shore of the great arsenal of the United Nations.

And third was the sacrifice in U-boats striking strength which such operations involved.

**Indicate Offensive On Java**

BATAVIA, N.E.I., Jan. 29.—(P)—Japanese forces driving down the west coast of Borneo and the Japanese invasion fleet in Macassar Strait tonight appeared to be clearing the way for a major offensive against Java, heart of the Dutch East Indies and site of the United Nations' southwest Pacific supreme command.

Today's Dutch communiqué reported a two-pointed Japanese thrust toward Pontianak, chief city on the west coast of Dutch Borneo situated only 440 miles north of Batavia, launched by troops freshly landed 85 miles farther north and by other forces operating out of Kuching, capital of Japanese-occupied Sarawak.

From informed sources the news agency Aneta learned that the Japanese convoy in Macassar straits, despite the heavy losses it has suffered in the last six days, is trying to push farther south to the bottom of the strait. From here, these sources said, the convoy would separate for simultaneous attacks on the Borneo port of Banjermassin and the Celebes capital of Macassar.

Banjermassin is less than 300 miles northeast of the principal Dutch naval base of Soerabaja, across the Java sea.

The Batavia correspondent of the London Daily Mail said that, despite heavy destruction of ships, the Japanese convoy "is estimated to have 65 ships still afloat carrying 150,000 troops" and that it is "intent on a full scale invasion of Java."

The Dutch command said this latest Japanese operation, already threatening Pontianak, was being carried out by sea-borne troops newly landed at Pemangkat, 85 miles north of Pontianak, and by other forces which early in the Pacific war occupied Kuching, capital of Sarawak, which lies some 135 miles northeast of Pontianak and 100 miles east and slightly north of Pemangkat.

Naval aircraft are attacking the invaders, the high command reported, and the defense forces objectives" in the endangered area.

**Reports 46 Ships Sunk**

LONDON, Jan. 29.—(P)—The Sydney, Australia, radio said today in a broadcast recorded by Reuters that 46 Japanese warships and transports have been sunk thus far in the battle of Macassar Straits. (Compilations from United Nations communiques have put the total at 36 Japanese ships sunk or damaged.)

The Sydney announcement said that the sunken transports were estimated to have carried at least 25,000 Japanese troops.

**FDR To Tell Of The War Effort**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(P)—President Roosevelt expects to tell the nation by radio about the progress of the war effort around February 22 and the White House said today that by that time "it is quite possible he will have things of importance to say."

President Secretary Stephen Early disclosed Mr. Roosevelt's intention to speak about the time of George Washington's birthday. He said that the White House had been receiving, by mail, telegram and orally, many requests that the chief executive make another fireside chat to the country "to dissipate poisonous and troublesome rumors and insofar as possible to give the country a clearer and better understanding of the war and all that it involves."

He said the president did not feel that the present was a very good time to talk to the people but thought late next month would be more propitious.

**Fateful Battle  
For Singapore Is  
Fiercely Waged**  
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get through our positions—and they haven't."

**Score Hit On Jap Ship**

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 29.—(P)—Australian aircraft scored a direct hit on one Japanese ship and probably hit another despite bad visibility in their third attack on Rabaul, New Britain, since the island port was occupied by the Japanese, an RAAF communique said today.

All the Australian planes returned to their base.

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(The dispatch did not indicate that the Japanese received any reply.)

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Of La Monte Meets**

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After the business session Mrs.

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public welfare committee introduced Mrs. Lelah Adler, supervisor of weaving in the Pettis

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head of Dickmann's finance committee.

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**Says Offer Rejected**

M. C. Livesay of Versailles, former prosecuting attorney of Morgan county, told of turning down Laun's offer to "help out" in his campaign in 1934. He said Laun replied, "Well, if you find some money in that book on your desk, you'd keep it, wouldn't you?" There was \$50 in the book the next day.

H. C. Albers, former presiding judge of the Camden county court, who testified he received \$600 from Laun toward his unsuccessful campaign for re-election in 1934.

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**Churchill Gets  
A Confidence  
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asked support for its decision to send troops on the ill fated Greek campaign the vote was 447 to 3.

When the vote was announced there was a tremendous outburst of cheering and Churchill arose, smiling, and left the house, followed by other ministers. The people in the public galleries, contrary to all house rules, also applauded.

When the speaker put the motion, Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger John Brownlow Keyes, national conservative member, appealed for unanimous voice approval of the government but the three members of the Independent Labor party—the smallest party in the house—called out "No."

**Criticism Voiced**

Churchill's address followed debate in which further criticism of his government piled up, including that of Socialist Dennis Nowell Pitt, who asserted that "juke-warm supporters of Fascism in the government x x x are a very serious and anxious menace."

The prime minister said that the landing of the American troops in Northern Ireland—a part of the United Kingdom which shares a land frontier with Eire—"cannot do Mr. DeValera any harm and it might do him good; it offers a measure of protection to southern Ireland and Ireland as a whole which she would not otherwise enjoy."

Prime Minister Eamon DeValera has protested that the Americans landed in Northern Ireland without prior consultation of his government.

Turning to criticism of setbacks in the southwest Pacific, Churchill said that if Britain had reduced her help to Russia she would have been better prepared in Burma and Malaya.

"But," he added, "we did not make such a reduction and I believe that the vast majority of opinion in the House and country endorses our decision even after the events in the far east have taken place."

Churchill said that the battleships Prince of Wales and the Repulse, sunk off Malaya at the outset of the Japanese attack there, had been sent into action without air support against Japanese bombing "because there was no available aircraft carrier to accompany the two battleships."

The jury said its investigation disclosed that the "first two policemen on the scene in the morning the murder was discovered were never interviewed of record by the police department of which they were members. Could they have been interviewed and records misplaced? The question is still unanswered."

**Assails Reed's Story**

The report condemned "as unethical and not consistent with civic duty and public service" the writing and publishing of Lear B. Reed's garbled, unsworn and untrue story of the Leila Welsh case, singularly commencing when this grand jury was beginning an investigation of the case.

Reed, who resigned as police chief in September to go into private business in Chicago, recently wrote a series of four Sunday stories for the Kansas City Star giving his account of the Welsh case.

L. R. Thomas, upholster helper, Tuesday entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical attention.

Mrs. Fred Bender, mother of Walter Bender, painter apprentice, spent the past week-end visiting her son Fred and family in Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Keithley last Friday received a telegram from their son Marion, telling of his safe arrival in England. Marion is a member of the English Conservation Corps, as an electrician and was a member of a party that sailed from Canada recently. Mr. Keithley is a cabinet maker at the Missouri Pacific shops.

W. O. Bouchard, publisher of Flat River, testified that Laun sent him \$100 to provide automobile transportation for voters in a special election on the question of extending the utility's local franchise in 1937. Bouchard said he turned the money over to Mayor W. A. McGraw of Flat River.

In 1938, when Bouchard ran for the state senate, he said Laun gave him \$500 with the remark "there are no strings on this."

Laun, ace lobbyist for Union Electric, pleaded no contest last year to a charge of perjury in an investigation of utility's local franchise in 1937. Bouchard said he was sentenced to a year in prison and has completed his term.

**Start Check On  
Tires Stocks**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(P)—

The senate elections committee reported today that Senator Langer (R-N.D.) was not entitled to a senate seat because of "a continuous, contemptuous, and shameful disregard for high concepts of public duty."

"The respondent (Langer)," the report went on, "that the public will be interested in the fact that one important statement to-wit: That of the identifying witness who sold the knife used in murder was hidden from all other enforcement bodies until dug out of its hiding place at police headquarters by a committee of this grand jury. Neither this statement nor a copy thereof was in the file turned over to the present homicide squad nor to any other enforcement agency nor was it in the master file in the bureau of records at the police department. Why was this statement handled in his manner? The grand jury has not received a satisfactory answer?"

The jury asked that its time be extended until March 7 instead of Feb. 9 to investigate "many unsolved matters of great importance—some collateral to the Leila Welsh case—which are in our estimation and judgment of greater magnitude and of even greater importance to the public welfare than that case itself."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wertz are spending a two weeks vacation visiting their son in Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Wertz is foreman of the air room.

J. W. Russell, boiler maker helper is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Los Angeles, Calif.

John Butler has entered upon his apprenticeship in the machine shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Piper spent Sunday visiting Mr. Piper's sister who is seriously ill at the Research hospital in Kansas City. Mr. Piper is a class B machinist.

Miss Jean Hoard daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hoard left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted employment with the government. Mr. Hoard is employed in the supply department.

Engine 2115 which has been built at the shops and completed was taken out for a break in Wednesday. It was the fifteenth of this type locomotive completed at the shops being converted from a 1900 class locomotive.

"If the inspection discloses any unauthorized transfers of new tires or tubes, the dealer will be required to explain," OPA said. "Cases of deliberate violation will be referred to the enforcement division of OPA."

**Dozen Missouri**

# Society and Clubs

The marriage of Miss Estle Rucker, the daughter of Mrs. Estle Rucker, 7154 Amherst avenue, St. Louis, and Ensign Gaylord B. Lyon, United States Naval Reserve, took place Saturday in the Epis- copal church in Titusville, Fla.

As the groom was not able to go to St. Louis, the bride depart-

ed last Thursday for Florida. No previous announcement of the engagement had been made.

Mrs. Lyon, who is the daughter of Roy W. Rucker of Kansas City, attended Ruth Faison Shaw school in Rome, Italy, and Mont Choise Lausanne, Switzerland. She is a sister of Mrs. Carleton S. Hadley,

4 North Kingshighway boulevard, St. Louis, an dof William W. Rucker, who is stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Ill.

The Rucker family formerly lived in Sedalia.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Lyon, 7415 Carleton avenue, St. Louis, who was graduated from Washington university in 1940 and received his commission last month at Pensacola, Fla., is now stationed at the United States Naval Training school at Banana River, Fla., where he and his bride will make their home temporarily.

The 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt, of Windsor, was celebrated Sunday with a family dinner held at West View, Warsaw. After the dinner the family gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Petts where friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hunt called to congratulate them.

Those present at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Hunt and Linda Sue of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Hunt and daughter Mary Carolyn of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Rochelle I. Hunt and children Robert, Mary Margaret, and Betty Lou, of Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Petts of Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hunt of Green Ridge, and the bride and groom of 60 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt.

Austin Farley, harpsichord virtuoso, charmed his audience in a recital presented before the Helen G. Steele Music club Wednesday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse. Mr. Farley is a member of the faculty at Stephens College, Columbia.

A short explanatory talk was given by the guest artist on the relative merits of the harpsichord and the piano before he opened his program. Of eighteenth century charm was the harpsichord which Mr. Farley brought with him for his recital—small, graceful with delicate gold blending in the brown wood of the instrument.

A group of selections from "Fitzwilliams Virginals" formed the first group on the program. "Wolsey's Wilde," by Byrd, was a seventeenth century popular song; Dr. Bull's "Myself," a true jig; the anonymous "Irish Ho-Hoane," a lament of old Erin; "Two Hornpipes," by Purcell derives its melody from Scotland and "God From My Window," by Morley, contained variations on a popular air of the period.

The second part of Mr. Farley's recital was a group of Handel compositions skillfully played with fluency and precision, and particularly interesting was the final number in the group, "Air With Doubles," from "The Harmonious Blacksmith."

Bach's musical story, "Caprice on the Departure of a Beloved Brother," a memorial of six parts

with vivid descriptive titles indicating the story's progress, was the third group on the program.

Four sonatas by Scarlatti, written in D Minor, C Major, C Sharp Minor and E Major, completed the programmed numbers.

Scarlatti's musical symmetry is enhanced by its variety with which Mr. Farley is entirely conversant.

As an encore the recitalist played a Bach Sonata in E Flat on the piano, then on the harpsichord to show comparison between the two instruments. "Gigue" from the G Major French suite, was a second encore more complimentary to the harpsichord.

A regular hostess meeting preceded the program with Mrs. H. C. Johnson presiding.

Mrs. Dan Carr urged the club to buy defense bonds and stamps, outlining the benefits to be derived by both the individual and the United States government. A "Defense Bond" chorus further advocated investment in freedom.

Members of the "Eat and Run" club, composed of seventh grade girls, had a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon after school at the home of Peggy Preisdorf, 1816 South Massachusetts avenue, and Janet Quinn entered as a new member. Mrs. John Preisdorf, the hostess' mother, assisted in entertaining.

The January meeting of the junior division of the DeWitt Junior Music club was held in Miss Mabel DeWitt's studio Tuesday evening, with the president, Janet Quinn, presiding.

The following program was given: Dropping Leaves, Brown by Patrick Bratten; Spring Song, Thompson and Follow the Leader, Jesse, by Elenore Wolfel; Valse Triste, Sibelius, Thompson, by Mary Janes; Vienesse Melody, Thompson, by Patricia Denney; Spinning Song, Ellerreich, by

Dorothy Towner; Finale from Bohème, by Anita Isgrur; The Skylark, Tschaikowski, by Janet Quinn; Minuet Mozart, by Winifred Graham; Dark Eyes, arranged by Thompson, by Marjorie Liebel.

When gangland invades the art world, art becomes another "racket" and culture takes on a new meaning. Cesar Romero and Carole Landis are the players in the comedy-romance "A Gentleman At Heart" the hilarious hit open-

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## • Windsor

Mrs. W. T. Jordan

Miss Nellie VanWinkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. VanWinkle, and G. T. Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell, were married January 17th at Kirksville, at three o'clock by the Rev. Meevills, pastor of the Baptist church. Witnesses were Mrs. Meevills and Norma Stock. The bride wore a soldier blue dress with blue accessories. The bride is a graduate of the Calhoun schools and the groom is a graduate of the Leetown high school. He was formerly employed in the local shoe factory but has gone to Ft. Leonard Wood. Mrs. Caldwell is employed by Mrs. Russell Davis.

Mrs. Henry Taylor entertained Wednesday with a one o'clock luncheon for Mrs. John Barber, who recently returned from Maryland. Those present were: Mesdames John Barber, H. A. Barber, Gertrude Ball, M. P. Owsley, A. T. Bradley and L. W. Shadburne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferguson entertained the Thursday evening bridge club last week. A dessert course was served the guests before the series of games. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bunnell were the special guests present. Scoring trophies were captured by Mrs. Newton Kendrick and Elbert Sutherland.

Mrs. Carl McMillan of Salisbury, Maryland, was entertained last Wednesday evening by Mrs. Henry Ira, Jr., and Mrs. Kenneth Marti at the latter's apartment. A dessert course was served at four tables where contract bridge was later played. Mrs. Harry Ordway won high score and Mrs. Clarence Myers the low score. A gift was given the honor guest.

A miscellaneous shower with Mrs. Kenneth Moser the honored guest was given Friday with Mrs. Frank Silver the hostess. Eighteen were present and the new bride received many useful and beautiful gifts. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mrs. Aubrey Davis has returned from Tulsa, Okla., and has accepted the position as cashier at the United Telephone Co. office.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Everett Marti, assisted by Mrs. Jesse Scroggins, entertained their bridge club in the former's home. Guests were seated at four tables where Mrs. Ellis Houston won high score and Miss Bert Gallagher the second. Refreshments and decorations were carried out in the valentine motif.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huey, of Deepwater, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nine.

Bob Mumpas, who has been employed a number of years by the Lingle Grain and Milling Co., started to work at Lake City one day last week.

The Thursday afternoon bridge club was entertained last week at the home of Mrs. J. W. Valentine. Trophies were awarded for scoring to Mrs. F. E. Means, Mrs. Hughey Johnston, Mrs. George Wright and Mrs. Virgil Barker were extra guests.

T. V. Harvey has bought the residence owned by Sam Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey will move to their new home after the sale at their farm on February 2.

Mrs. Charles Floyd died at her home January 19th. She had been in ill health about two weeks following a stroke of paralysis. Sarah Ellen Moore was born September 6, 1869, in Kansas, a daughter of Daniel and Nancy Taylor Moore of Kentucky. She was united in marriage to Charles Lloyd in 1892 in Oklahoma where they farmed for a number of years. The family moved to Windsor in 1927. Surviving are the husband and the following children, Edgar Lloyd of Fair Oaks, Ind., Miss Ethel and Frank Lloyd of Vanita, Okla., Oscar Lloyd, Miss Grace Lloyd and Mrs. Della Bush all of Windsor. She is also survived by seven brothers, J. D. and Nathan Moore of Guthrie, Okla., Joe Moore, Arkansas City, Kas., Jim Moore of Oregon, Frank Moore of Kansas City, Kas., and Will Moore of Windsor. Funeral services were held at the Windsor Christian church, conducted by Rev. Darnell. Burial was in Laurel Oak cemetery.

Ivan Harvey sustained a broken collar bone one day last week when a rock fell on him while hauling shale for a road at the Windsor Coal Company.

Lieutenant (junior grade) and Mrs. A. L. Burgess announce the birth of a son Thursday, January

15, at a hospital in Berkeley, Calif. The new arrival weighed 8 pounds and has been given the name Andrew Lynn Burgess, II. Lieutenant Burgess is with the Asiatic fleet and was stationed at the Cavite Naval base in the Philippines Islands before the outbreak of war.

Mrs. Louis Griebe, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moser and Mrs. Kenneth Moser went to Ft. Leavenworth last Sunday to visit a short time with Kenneth Moser.

## Mark Twain PTA To Meet Friday Afternoon

The regular meeting of the Mark Twain PTA, will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. L. V. Estes, chairman, in charge of a program on safety. Mrs. Elmer Dillard, president, has announced an executive board meeting for 2 p.m.

## Parents Of A Son

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• by Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON—The nation will always be proud of and grateful to the five members of the Pearl Harbor Board of Inquiry for their blunt and courageous report. It was a great tribute by true patriots to the honor and gameness of their country.

They had faith that the U.S.A. could take it and come up fighting to win.

But there were certain army and navy elements who did not have such high concepts. They favored less candor and forthrightness. If they could have had their way the board's report would not have been so damning of incompetence, negligence and dereliction of duty.

Softer and mealy-mouthed words would have been used instead.

It is an inside fact that in very discreet and circuitous ways these elements sought to influence the exertion of social and personal pressure on certain board members to soften their findings. These members know nothing about this, because it was stopped dead in its tracks.

Secretaries Stimson and Knox saw to it that the board had a completely free hand to act and speak as it saw fit. Like the board, they too are patriots who have faith in their country.

**FDR Axes Lewis**

The inside reason why John L. Lewis was not named a member of the three-man CIO peace committee was because President Roosevelt personally blocked it.

When he and CIO President Phil Murray discussed the counter plan that scuttled Lewis' blitz scheme, Roosevelt advised that the new AFL and CIO peace committees be limited to three members each. That would avoid turning the joint committee into a "mass meeting," he explained, and also make it easier to keep hostile Lewis out of the picture.

"If you have too large a committee, Phil," the president added with a smile, "you may appoint Lewis."

"I guess you're right, Mr. President," laughed Murray.

NOTE: Lewis intimates say he would not have accepted appointment to the committee if it had been offered him.

**The Nelson System**

Certain dollar-a-year boys who used to rule the roost in the old OPM are learning that those balmy days are over.

One of these masterminds got a short but pointed lesson on this fact the other day. War Production Chief Donald Nelson called him in and outlined a certain job he wanted done and how it should be done.

"Is this all clear to you?" Nelson said. "Yes, but we've been doing it differently. Now I suggest . . ."

Interrupting Nelson carefully repeated his instructions and then, looking the dollar-a-year squarely in the eye, said quietly, "Do you understand now what I want?"

"Yes, sir," was the meek reply.

**Farm Sentiment**

An Iowa Republican leader made a very significant survey of farmer sentiment that the masterminds of Congress and the Treasury and Agriculture Department would find it very profitable to heed to.

They would get some very valuable information on the views of real farmers, as distinguished from those of the lobbyists and politicians who claim to represent them in Washington.

The survey was made by Don L. Berry, director of the Republican Farm Study committee. Berry sent out a questionnaire to every farmer in his home county, Warren. This is what the replies showed:

1. That an overwhelming majority of the farmers were opposed to the amendment written into the price control bill by Senator Joseph O'Mahoney of Wyoming, fixing a mandatory farm parity level of 125 percent. The attitude of the farmers was that the amendment would cause the public to consider them as trying to profit out of the war, and that this might lead to a wave of hostility that would wipe out many of the gains won by agriculture through years of patient effort.

2. A majority of two to one of the farmers favor continuance of the conservation (crop control benefit) payments.

3. A similar majority expressed themselves willing to take their benefit payments in the form of defense bonds and stamps.

**More Guam Postscript**

Recently, under the caption "Postscript on Guam," this column printed portions of a House debate that preceded the defeat of an appropriation sought by the navy to fortify Guam, strategic Pacific base now in Japanese hands. The House masterminds who killed this

national defense measure weren't the only ones in Congress who held such "statesmanlike" views. The Senate also had its share of them, as the Congressional Record shows.

Here are excerpts from a Senate debate on the issue of fortifying Guam:

Senator Clyde M. Reed, Kansas Republican—"I am opposed to extending our line of defense to Guam. Our national defense policy should be confined to the defense of the western hemisphere. By no stretch of the imagination can the fortification of Guam be considered as a national defense matter from the standpoint of either the United States or the western hemisphere.

"Its fortification would be useful only in an aggressive war against an Asiatic nation. I do not contemplate any such war, and shall not vote for any appropriation of money which even remotely contemplates that end."

Senator Henrik Shipstead, bitter-tongued Minnesota isolationist—"I can see no immediate danger of attack upon the United States by any foreign country." Later Shipstead inserted in the Congressional Record a strongly-worded article against fortifying Guam.

The late Senator Ernest Lundein of Minnesota, who had close relations with George Sylvester Viereck, indicted Nazi agent, also took an active part in the discussion, ridiculing the fortification proposal as impractical and a waste of the taxpayers' money.

"Some people are seeing spooks and bogeymen in their attics when they speak of an invasion of this country," Lundein declared. "What country is going to invade us? The Japanese are too smart to attack this great nation. No nation or combination of nations will attack us in this generation."

**And What of Russia?**

This is a ticklish subject, but it is a subject that needs dealing with. Unpleasant to think about, it is easier to gloss over than to look squarely in the face. It must be faced.

One hears it said, and more often suggested slyly than said outright, that the thing to do is to fight Japan and let the European war stew on in its own juice in the hope that Germany and Russia will yet exhaust one another in a no-decision bout. Many of those who were most ardent isolationists before the war now swing toward such view. It is based on the idea that a Communist Russia too triumphant over Germany will turn the whole continent of Europe to Communism and from that vantage point Communize the world.

Quite bluntly let us say, "It could happen." There are no sure things in war, greatest of all gambles. The result of a war can never be accurately foreseen.

However, the results of losing are so plain, so terrible, and so imminent that there can be no doubt about them. We know what imposition by military force of Hitlerism means. Balancing that all-too-definite menace against some possible later outcome leaves only one decision.

The war, in its total phases, must be supported in every way that will bring victory, including every possible assistance to Soviet Russia. The choice between a present certain evil and a possible future evil is a simple one.

It is an odd thing that the same people who assume that Britain and the United States face sweeping social changes as a result of the war also assume that Russia will emerge unchanged. It seems unlikely. Already Stalin seems to have called off the anti-religious campaign for the duration, and it may never be revived. Men returning from a war usually demand greater freedom than before, and Russia is just as likely to move toward democracy as the democracies are to move toward Communism. In Russia, Communism has already passed through three systems in which all changed but the name. The war may well bring on a fourth. There is no reason to assume that Russia will be exempt from the general expectation that no country will be quite the same.

It is because we have faith in our American institutions that we fight to uphold them against military aggression. We must have faith that we can uphold them equally against whatever condition (and no one can guess what it will be) may arise in the war's aftermath. Right now, our guiding star in the war effort must be this:

Any holding out, any reservations, in the united drive for victory is terribly likely to result in universal disaster for all.

**• Looking Backward**

• forty years ago.

Railroad postoffice service is to be established on Katy Flyers, No. 5 and 6, between Denison, Tex., and St. Louis, through Sedalia, on February 1. The new plan will inaugurate the first railway postoffice fast mail service in this section of the country.

E. T. Thompson, of Ellsberry, Lincoln county, has bought the P. D. Hastain residence on East Broadway, from Judge W. S. Shirk. He will have the house remodeled into flats, he announced.

George Boomer, of the state of Washington, prominent Socialist, will speak at the Socialists' hall in East Sedalia Friday evening.

Dr. Asa H. Heaton has received the bill of lading for the automobile that he purchased on his trip to Ohio recently, and it is expected to arrive here soon. Frank Vollrath will be awarded the contract of unloading it from the railroad car.

Judge O. E. Parsons suggests that the merchants of the city scatter five cents worth of coarse salt on the walks in front of their respective business houses, in order to make pedestrianism much safer. Had this been done yesterday, it was explained, Chief Dispatcher Miller of the Missouri Pacific would not have shattered a section of granite walk when he fell on West Second street last night.

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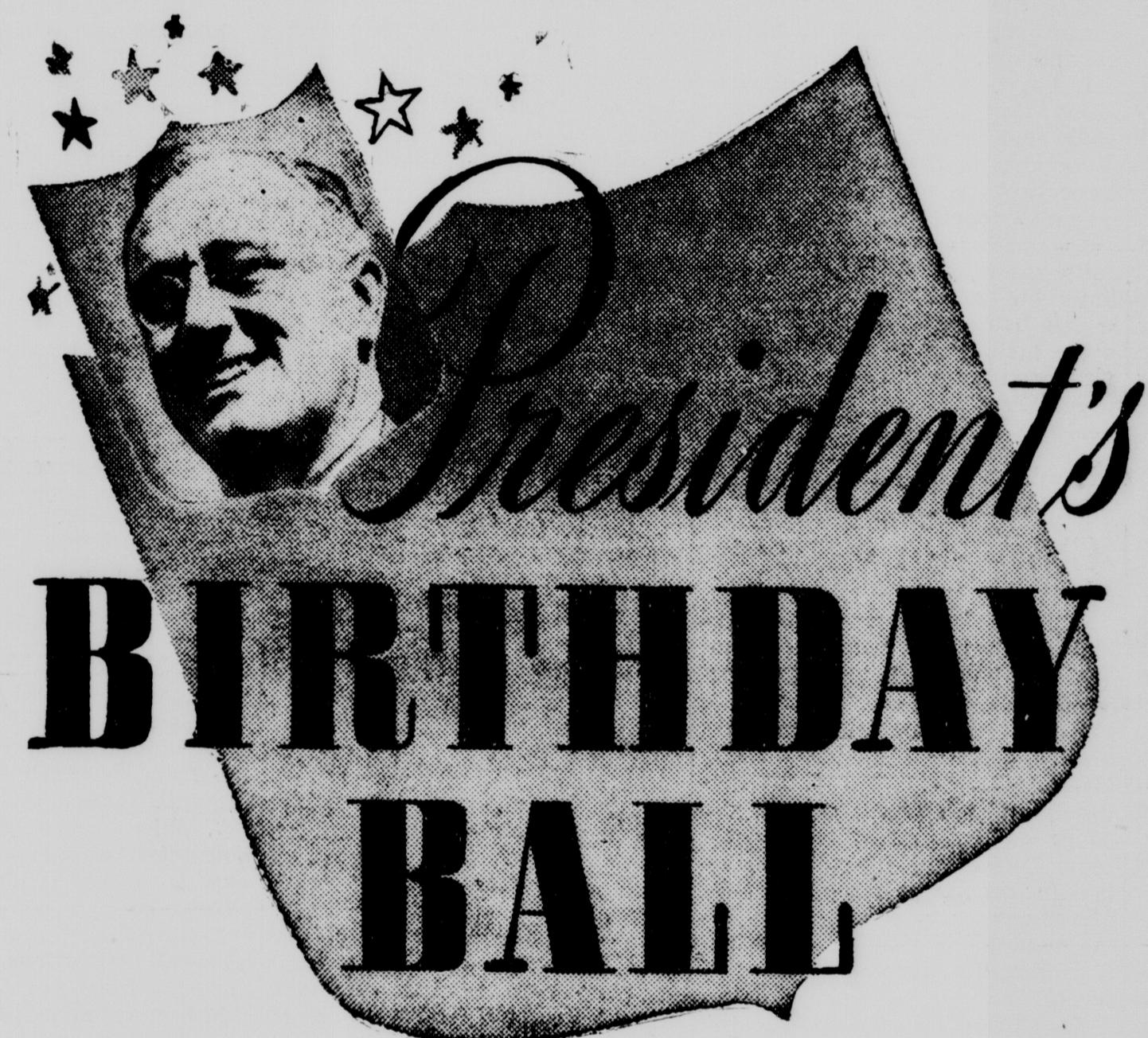
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ADMISSION: 50c per person.

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PROCEEDS: To go to the relief and treatment of infantile paralysis. 50% of the receipts will go to the Warm Springs, Georgia Foundation and the other 50% will be used to advantage in our own community.

# DANCE... THAT OTHERS MAY WALK



*Y*OU'RE a lucky fellow, Mr. Smith! You're invited to the biggest party of the year. There'll be smooth, danceable music, refreshments and sparkling entertainment. Americans throughout the land will be celebrating with you and your neighbors. And while you're having the time of your life, you'll be helping the thousands of children all over America who are putting up a courageous fight against infantile paralysis.

That's why January 30th belongs to you almost as much as to the President. It's your chance to buy a share in the future of the U. S. A. While you dance, you'll be making that future bright for thousands of young Americans. Helping them will give you new faith in yourself, and faith in a land where boys and girls, busy with ice-skates and homework and movies, are unafraid of tomorrow and the day after.

**A HEALTHY AMERICA IS OUR FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE  
HELP YOUR COUNTRY . . . ATTEND THE BIRTHDAY BALL!!**

# Rural Gardens Are Aiding In Defense

## Pettis Families Enroll In Food Program

### Nearly 600 Have Signed Blanks, Reports Reveal

The part rural Pettis county has been playing in defense through gardens was revealed at a district garden meeting in Sedalia, Wednesday by Miss Dorothy Bacon, home demonstration agent. Miss Bacon gave facts from 550 of the survey blanks which have been returned to the county extension office by leaders who have enrolled families in the "Food for the Home Program".

This report covered 25 families from the Iona community, 69 from Dresden community, 94 from Longwood community, 16 from Quisenberry community, 78 from Hugesville community, 40 from Beaman community, 18 from South Abell community, 104 from Houstonia community, 109 from Green Ridge community and 16 from Smithton community. Other survey blanks which are in have been totaled and several enrollment have not been turned in as yet.

#### Percentage Grows

The reports revealed that 98 percent had produced green beans; 97 per cent potatoes and lettuce; 96 per cent peas, onions and radishes; and 95 per cent tomatoes. These were produced by most families last year and it is anticipated that 100 per cent of the farm families of Pettis county will produce them this year. The next most commonly grown vegetables were beets grown by 92 per cent of the families and carrots, grown by 90 per cent.

Cabbage, sweet corn and cucumbers were grown by only 82 per cent of those families. Rhubarb, spinach, mustard, turnips, lima beans, peppers and sweet potatoes were grown by 60 to 64 per cent of the families. Only 41 per cent grew asparagus and parsnips, 38 per cent dry beans and squash, and only 22 to 26 per cent grew salsify, New Zealand spinach and Swiss chard; 16 per cent grew okra; 5 per cent grew egg plant, kohlrabi and cabbage and only 2 per cent grew edible soybeans.

#### More For Defense

Although in general farm families have been growing gardens they are planning to grow more for defense this year than ever before. The surveys showed that less than half the gardens grew 20 or more varieties of foods. This figure can easily be raised this

year, as people are becoming more interested in varieties.

Some dealers are packaging recommended varieties and amounts of seeds for the average Pettis county family to sell as a family package; this will help to increase the number of varieties grown. 4-H club members are also enrolling in family garden projects where they will be encouraged to grow a larger variety of foods.

Other interesting things reported by Miss Bacon were that the families who served tomatoes four or more times per week did not report the use of cold tablets while those serving tomatoes less frequently did use cold tablets. These figures bear out the nutritionists experiments that Vitamin C helps prevent colds.

The figures showed 21 quarts of vegetables other than tomatoes canned per person. Of that amount only five quarts were pea sand greens.

#### 10-Quart Goal

The goal for this year is 10 quarts per person instead of five. The foods leaders of the Home Economics Extension clubs and the garden leaders of the neighborhood groups will be having meetings and giving out information to help rural families produce more and better foods for home and defense.

Posters headed "Eat the Right Food, America Needs You Strong" will be distributed by them also in an attempt to help people eat the right food as well as grow the right food.

The slogan "Plant A Garden" is one of the many common victory slogans and one which should be carried out, but with caution.

It has been repeatedly emphasized that since some garden seeds and fertilizers are scarce it is unwise to tear up lawns and back yards in town sand cities to plant vegetable gardens, but every farm family can successfully grow garden, since they have the soil and fertilizer with which to do it. Then it is up to every man, woman and child with power to eat the varieties of vegetables produced for good health.

## Truck And Fruit Crops Important

Bumper yields of truck and fruit crops will be more important than ever this year, because of the increased need for vegetables and fruits of all kinds, and the best defense against insects attacking such crops is a well timed offense says George D. Jones of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Delay in ordering repair and replacement parts for insect-fighting equipment may seriously reduce the effectiveness of this defense.

The Priorities division of the Office of Production Management has given a high preference rating to manufacturers of farm machinery repair parts, but only enough parts are being produced

## Collection Of Scrap Metal From All Local Farms Is War Project

Idle scrap iron must be put to work for victory in America's war effort. It is estimated a million and a half tons of iron are lying useless on U. S. farms. This amount would be sufficient, if combined with other necessary materials, to build 139 modern 35,000-ton battleships for the Navy.

The Pettis county USDA War board, like others throughout the entire country, have taken the responsibility of encouraging the collection of scrap metal from all local farms.

B. C. Claycomb, chairman of the county war board, pointed out that scrap metal is an essential

ingredient in the production of steel. "That 125 pounds of rusty scrap on your dump pile may look unimportant," he said, "but when mixed with other materials it is enough to make a 500-pound aerial bomb. Or, if the farmers in Pettis county pile up 36,000 pounds we will have enough to make one 27-ton tank."

The total amount of scrap available on American farms is estimated to be sufficient for the manufacture of 50 million machine guns of .50 calibre, or 156,250 light tanks of the type which the British have used so effectively in the Libyan campaign.

"USDA War boards have the task of moving this metal off the farms and into smelters and blast furnaces," the chairman stated.

"We have undertaken the greatest production drive in the nation's history, and one immediate need is for scrap iron. This

fact is indicated by reports that many small steel plants throughout the country have been slowed down or have had to suspend operations because scrap is not available," Claycomb added.

Any farmer having scrap iron on his place is urgently requested to contact a junk dealer or the county war board and make arrangements to have the scrap moved to defense industries.

## Planning For Balanced Program

### 40 Delegates At Soils Conference State Intentions

Forty of the delegates attending the Annual Soils and Crops conference last week indicated their intention of planning a balanced farm program for their farms this winter. In planning such a program on their farms they will coordinate their enterprises and activities into a well-balanced farming system, to bring about most effective production, maximum profits, the conservation of all resources and to provide satisfying living conditions.

This will involve planning and carrying out:

1. A well balanced crop rotation system to provide adequate pasture and roughage and such grain as the farm is suited to produce.
2. A field layout which suits the farm.
3. Soil treatments and other conservation practices necessary to maintain soil resources.
4. Livestock enterprises and management practices that utilize most profitably the production of the cropping system.
5. Most efficient utilization of labor, power, machinery, wood-

ed to meet growers' needs as indicated by their orders. These orders must be placed as soon as possible to insure adequate production and timely delivery.

Now is the time to check over every piece of machinery that will be needed to protect the 1942 vegetable and orchard crops. It is particularly important to test pumps for pressure leaks and to clean last season's insecticides out of pipes and nozzles if they have not already been cleaned.

Q. What is the government doing to keep feed prices in line so that farmers can produce more livestock products?

A. Ever-Normal Granary reserves, which have proved more than adequate, have a stabilizing effect on feed prices. Government-owned corn is being sold, and farmers are redeeming their loans to make more feed available. The Office of Price Administration is guarding against speculative price advances to excessive levels.

Q. Can livestock products at present prices buy more feed than at last year's prices?

A. Yes, at current prices eggs can buy 13 percent more feed, hogs 58 percent more corn, and milk delivered at condenseries 19 percent more dairy ration than a year earlier.

Q. Is there a shortage of food in the United States now?

A. No. On top of great reserves of the principal farm products, farmers this year piled up the greatest farm production in our history. But for a really adequate diet for all our people, we need to produce more of the vitamin and mineral-rich foods.

Q. If there is no shortage of foods in the country, then why is the government making such an effort to increase farm production?

A. So that farmers will be prepared in advance to meet increased demand both in our own country and in Great Britain for certain vital foods. Increased food production also means better workers and soldiers and protects consumers against excessive food prices.

Q. Is the government going to ration foods?

A. The policy of the government is to encourage farmers to increase production so that there will be enough food for all needs thus preventing great shortages which would make rationing necessary.

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# DHIA Records Show Production Rise

County Cows Contribute To Defense

Produced 229,946 Pounds Of Milk During December

The 414 cows owned by the 16 members of the Pettis County Dairy Herd Improvement association are contributing their share to defense by producing 229,946 pounds of milk and 10,700 pounds of butterfat during the month of December. This is an average of 555 pounds of milk and 25.8 pounds of butterfat per cow.

Some of the cows in the association did an unusually good job in that 17 cows produced over 50 pounds of butterfat and 35 cows produced over 40 pounds but under 50 pounds of butterfat and 36 cows produced over 1,000 pounds of milk.

Watch Herds Closely

Association members are continually watching their herds and weeding out the low producers and six such cows were sold during the month.

One of the reasons for this good production is that in all cases grain was fed in addition to the roughage. Ten of the herds had either alfalfa, lespedeza, or soybean hay as a roughage and two of the herds who did not have a legume hay were fed sweet clover silage as a roughage. All of the herds except two were fed silage.

Petty and Turner had the highest producing herd with an average butterfat production of 35.6 pounds per cow and an average of 947 pounds of milk per cow.

Dow Brothers had the highest producing cow which produced 85.1 pounds of butterfat and 1,773 pounds of milk.

The five highest producing herds include:

Owner	Breed	No.	Av. Milk	Av. Fat
Petty and Turner	Holstein	18	947	35.6
Dow Brothers	Holstein-Jersey	16	752	32.9
Eugene Helman	Holstein	11	754	28.8
Central Missouri State Teachers' College	Jersey-G'rns'y	13	484	28.2
Gouge and Freund	Jersey-G'rns'y	16	637	27.5

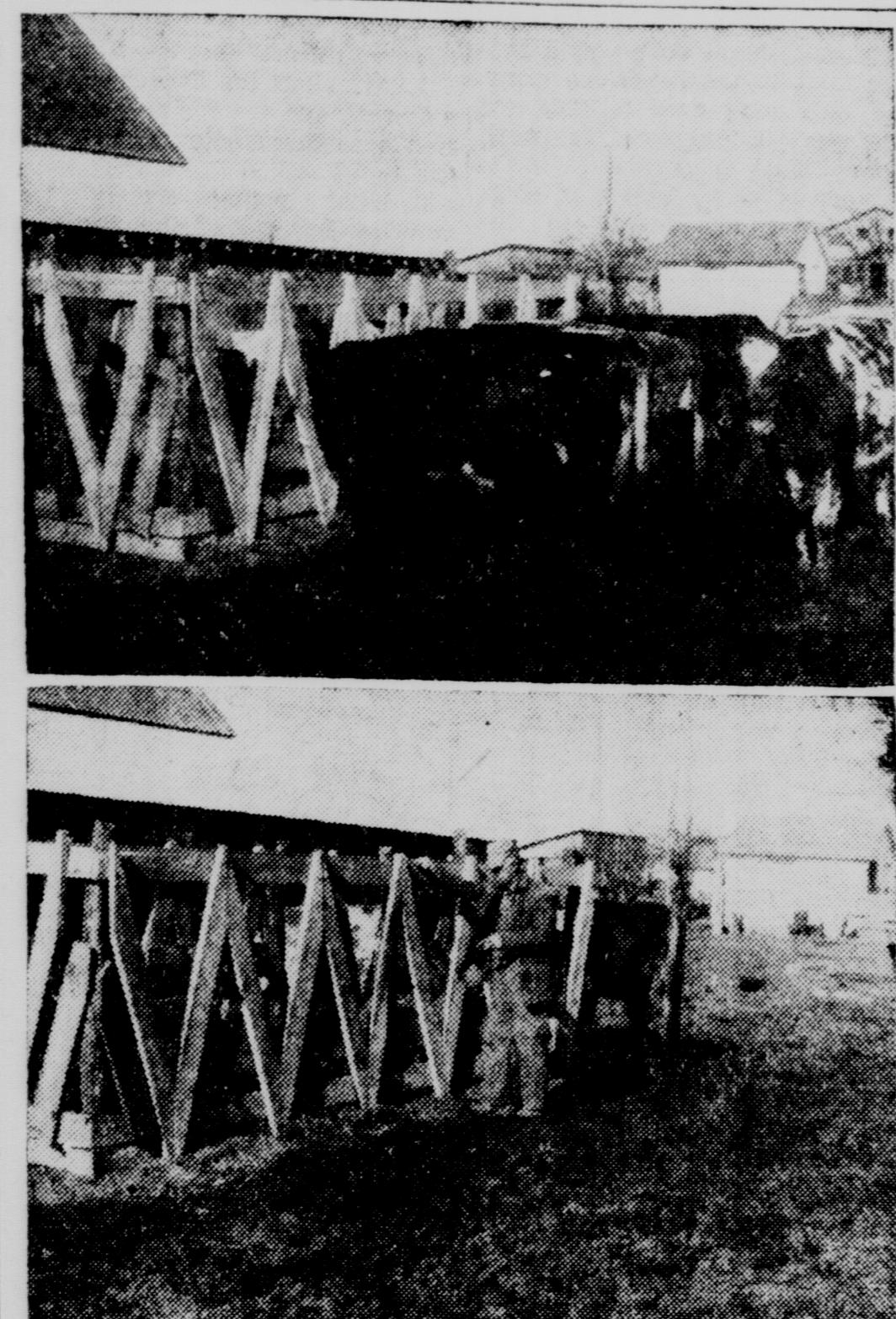
The ten highest producing cows include:

Name	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. Fat
Dow Bros.	Holstein-Jersey	1773	85.1
Petty and Turner	Holstein	1897	81.5
Petty and Turner	Holstein	1838	69.8
R. L. McKean	Jersey	1398	67.1
Eugene Helman	Holstein	1538	64.7
Petty and Turner	Holstein	1528	64.6
Olen Monsees	Holstein	1538	61.5
P. S. Read	Jersey	1066	60.8
H. C. Goodrich	Jersey	1001	59.1
Hillview Farm	Jersey	1159	57.9

## Urge Sending Seeds To Britain

A recent letter received from Mrs. Paul Palmer, chairman of the state Home and Community of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, calls attention to what was done in supplying seeds to Great Britain last year and to the

Mrs. Palmer further says there will be many calls for many



**Hay Manger Prevents Waste**

Henry Alt in the Flat Creek community is one of several Pettis county farmers who in using a hay manger recommended by the Agricultural Extension Service to prevent wasting hay and other roughage when it is fed to livestock.

"It has proven very successful" he says "in reducing the amount of hay wasted," as is shown in the accompanying pictures. Cows have easy access to the hay without pulling their heads out of the manger. On removing their heads the loose hay is held back in the manger by the V. Other types of mangers have allowed the cows to pull the loose hay out of the manger causing a large amount of hay waste.

The conservation of feed is not economical but doubly important at the present time in the production of needed food supplies.

Plans for building similar racks can be obtained from the county extension office.

## MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

*This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief*

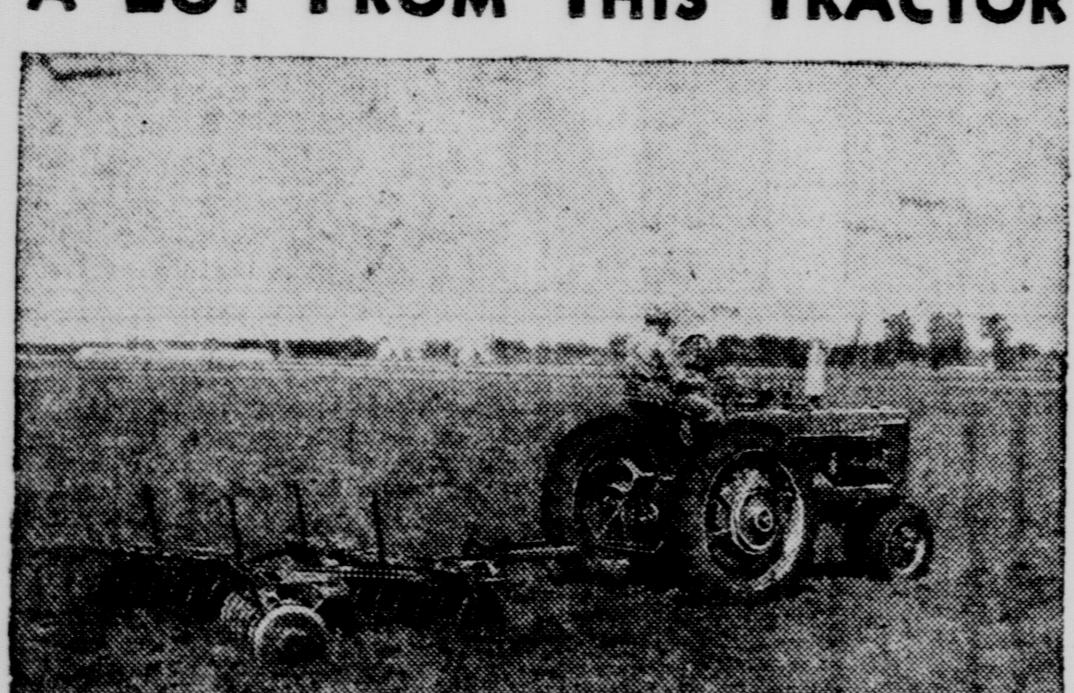
Men suffering relieve nagging backache quickly or they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be first line Doan's Pills.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. The help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

When disease or other causes allow this poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg cramps, loss of pep and energy, getting up at night, eye strain, headache, cold eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with the kidneys.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully for millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of tubing to carry out dangerous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

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## Struggle Against Insect Pests Vital In War Effort

The perpetual struggle against insect pests must go on at an ever-increasing pace as an important part of the major war effort in which this country is now engaged, urges Leonard Haseman of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Every man, woman and child is urged to help with this fight.

To win the major war we must have food and ever-increasing amounts of clothing, housing, equipment, and all materials of war. Along with this we must safeguard the health of our civilian population, as well as that of our fighting forces, and we must likewise maintain a high state of morale. This means that farmers must produce more and save more of what they produce, both for winning the war and after it the peace.

Among the greatest drawbacks to increased crop and livestock production are insect enemies of homes, buildings and all stored products. Stores of grain in particular must be protected against insects through frequent checkups and fumigation when necessary.

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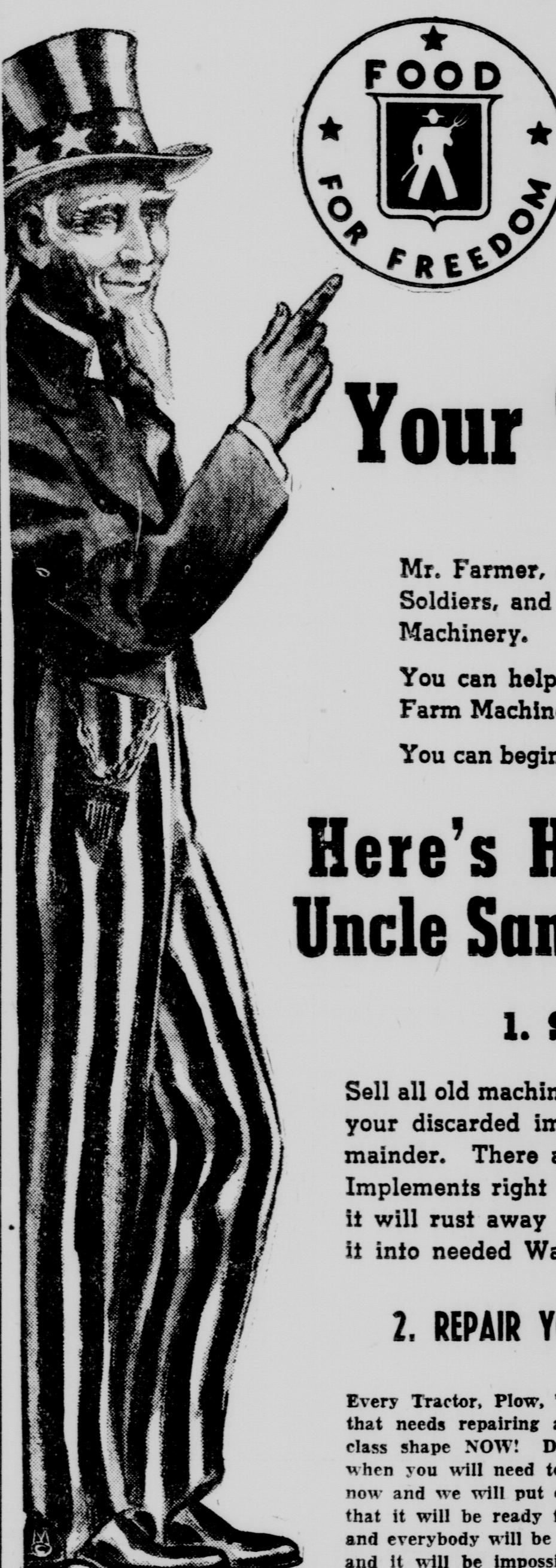
In wartimes there is nothing so destructive to civilian morale and military efficiency as outbreaks of disease, and in such times various insect carriers of disease become most active. In cooperation with state and army health officials, entomologists will increase their vigil and expand their warfare against all disease-carrying insect menaces.

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# Mr. Farmer Uncle Sam Needs Your Cooperation



## Here's How You Can Answer Uncle Sam's Call-And Do Your Part:

### 1. SCRAP OLD MACHINERY

Sell all old machinery that is no longer usable. If there are good parts on your discarded implements, take them off for future use and sell the remainder. There are tons and tons of old iron tied up in discarded Farm Implements right here in this district. The longer you keep it the more it will rust away and the longer you keep our Uncle Sam from converting it into needed War Munitions.

### 2. REPAIR YOUR USABLE MACHINERY

Every Tractor, Plow, Truck, and all other Farm Machinery that needs repairing and tuning-up should be put in first class shape NOW! DON'T WAIT UNTIL NEXT SPRING when you will need to use your machinery. Bring it to us now and we will put our expert mechanics at work on it so that it will be ready for use before the Spring Rush comes and everybody will be wanting repairs done at the same time and it will be impossible to serve everyone in a few days. Come NOW, while there is time to serve all.



### 3. GET ALL NEEDED PARTS NOW

Nearly every Farmer will be needing parts for his Farm Implements. Our government and all of your Implement dealers EARNESTLY URGE you to get EVERY NEEDED PART NOW. Farm implement factories are going into production of War Munitions. IN THE NAME OF OUR GOVERNMENT, ACT TODAY.

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Serial Story . . .

# Tambay Gold

... By Samuel Hopkins Adams

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## WELLIVER VS. BALESTIER

CHAPTER XIX  
"LOOK, Doc," I said, thinking about the trouble with Maurie. "This is a rough world we're living in. You and I are going to have a little target practice out back."

Well, Doc was a natural with a pistol. In a week he could nick a four-bit piece at 30 yards.

Angel wasn't around so much, these days. After the Harstrom slump, the team settled down to work and showed something. The betting on the Balestier game went back to evens, but I had my little fifty down at five to seven, and Angel got four hundred for Judy's three.

Reservations at Tambay Camp began coming in early for the week-end of the big game. Then one morning a couple of young fellows with rods and chains came in and ordered eggs, cakes and sausage.

"What goes on, boys?" I asked, after I'd served them.

"State survey. The new bridge." "What d'you mean, the new bridge? That's to cross half a mile downstream."

"Nothing's settled," one of them said. "But there's some talk that this would be a better place."

Curtains for Tambay. That's what it meant, if true. I could smell a smell of Mowry about this, though.

With only a week to go before the Balestier game, a pair of barriers sprouted right up out of the earth overnight, a mile on each side of us, and detained our traffic. "Road Closed for Temporary Repairs." That was the reading matter. Repairs, my foot! I got the ax and tossed those barriers into the ditch. Then they got me and tossed me into Brandon jail. After a while Sheriff Mowry came around and passed me out.

"I wouldn't have had this happen for a million dollars, ma'am," he said, solemn as a hoot-owl.

"Is that your price now?" I said. "You've gone up. But we could talk."

"You'll always find me reasonable."

Well, I wouldn't say but what a hundred dollars was reasonable enough for calling off the detour till after the big game. But that was no guarantee that eventually the bridge wouldn't put us out of business. I could guess Mowry's price for that; the 25 per cent cut of the mining rights. I'd found out that the head of the Highways Department was his brother-in-law. He certainly held good cards.

JUDY was having her troubles, too. She showed me a letter from Angel.

This is tough. I will not be seeing you again till after the game. It can't be helped. They have got me into some kind of trouble. Don't worry. I love you and we are going to lick them. I'm all for you.

Angel.

Wat Smith furnished the answer when he showed up that evening. "Can you find Angel for me, Wat?"

"Not at the moment."

"So's the Balestier game."

"But why can't I see Angel?"

"You've got a mean, suspicious nature. What should there be wrong?"

"Wat, if you're going to be that way, I shall drive over and go to his room and sit there till I see him."

"Thereby getting him fired. There's a good old Baptist rule about wild women in the dorms."

He sized up Judy's chin which was moving forward. "Well, what do you think is wrong?"

"I don't know. He wrote me not to worry. That's what worries me."

"A-plus in logic. Did he ever mention a man from Miami to you?"

"The gambler?"

"Right. He's back. Raised the ante to fifteen hundred. Angel took a poke at him."

"I'm glad he did. What's wrong with that?"

"Nothing. Nothing at all. Compendious and unsafe. Someone took a potshot at Angel when he was coming back from somewhere the other night."

"Angel's been shot?"

"Calm down, maiden. Shot at. Maybe not even at; maybe just toward. I think they're trying to get his nerve. A couple of black-hand letters have come to him. So Coach Harley isn't taking any chances on his prize package. Now, you tell me something. That fell on Oliver at Tambay, that night in vacation time?"

"He was moaning around in the dark and fell down."

"And Jill came tumbling after. I've heard that one, too."

"Then why ask me?"

"In the futile hope of eliciting some facts."

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ANGEL had got us swell seats on the 50-yard line, with a bunch of the Rogues. Of course, I'd no business going. But I couldn't resist that game.

Doc Oliver arrived and sat right

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#### HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured animal, —

7 It has —

13 Tantalize,

15 Raise up,

17 Sea eagle.

18 Genius of

large snakes.

20 Entangle,

22 House of

Commons (abbr.).

24 Disunited,

26 Doctor of

Science (abbr.).

27 Wagon track,

29 Japanese

measure.

30 Short poem.

31 Money of

account (abbr.).

33 It is a male

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34 In the U. S.

A. it is called

a —

35 Chief division

of a long

poem.

36 Roman road.

37 Hammer head.

38 Neither.

#### Answer to Previous Puzzle

14 Beele.

16 Tossings

18 The soul (Egypt).

19 Rough lava.

21 Study of the stars.

23 Chief custodian of a museum.

25 Leafstalk.

26 Those who diet.

28 Small wax candle.

30 Low sand hills.

32 Courtesy title.

33 Dibble.

39 A creed.

40 Year (Latin).

43 Braided.

44 Forenoon (abbr.).

45 Two fives.

46 Within.

47 Serbian.

49 Soak flax.

52 Greek letter.

53 Chaos.

54 Therefore.

55 Exclamation.

56 Senior (abbr.).

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OR TRADE—Concrete building, 20x60. R. E. Brewer, Clifton City, Missouri.

### 83—Farms and Land for Sale

40 ACRES, Route 1, 1/2 mile South of town. Call R. R. Sellers 6135.

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**Baffling Welsh Murder****Case Finally To****Court Action**

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asleep, she said, so she returned to bed.

By the time Mrs. Welsh, pre-

paring to waken Leila for Sunday school, found the door of her daughter's room propped shut by a chair and forced it open, young Welsh had left home to make Sunday morning rounds of real estate which he managed. He was found by telephone at one of the properties and rushed home

when he learned of his sister's death.

Several times in the next few days he was questioned by policemen and sheriff's deputies. Many times he has appeared before investigating grand juries. Finally arrested, he met officers at the door of the house to which he and his mother since have moved, with a calm "Hello." He accompanied them quietly to court and entered his innocent plea through an attorney.

**Uncle Gives Statement**

His uncle, Edgar J. Fleming, acting as spokesman for the family, issued this statement:

"This family thought they had suffered the limit of grief from Leila's death and this preposterous charge against George, coming on top of it, is almost more than they can bear."

"We feel, too, it closes the door to following up clues and the real solution we have always hoped for."

Throughout there has been a noticeable rivalry in the murder investigation between the remnants of the Pendergast organization, still in control of sheriff's office, and the Kansas City Police Department, which came under state control at the time the old machines lost out in city and state politics.

The evidence found that first morning seemed to indicate the crime was committed by an awkward but fiendish amateur.

The body itself was horribly maimed. The throat was slashed so viciously that a v-shaped wedge

was open to the vertebrae. Three blows, each sufficient to cause death, had been struck on the head. A horse shoe-shaped pound of flesh had been slashed from the hip.

Crudely traced in blood on the inside of the left leg was a letter G, Lear B. Reed, then chief of police, said. Reed has written that it "could have been a freak, the result of an accident" x x could have been placed there hastily to cast suspicion upon some innocent person" or "could have been drawn by the killer as a bold, egotistical gesture."

The one-time Kansas City university beauty queen contestant had not been raped.

The seeming lack of a motive puzzled police most. Chief Reed, who resigned last September to go into private business, said the failure to solve the case was one of the few regrets of his administration.

Whether a grand jury has found the solution he missed or whether the Welsh case will go back to the realm of mystery remains a question to be decided in a trial set for March 9—one year from the date of the slaying.

Men who have some construction experience and would like such a position may apply at the naval recruiting station at the Sedalia postoffice for complete information and a medical examination.

**Maj. Hansman To Conference**

Major E. J. Hansman of Sedalia, head of the Second Battalion, Fourth Infantry, Missouri Guard, is attending the all-day meeting of the State Guard in St. Louis today. Staff and field officers of the military organization are taking up plans for 1942 activities.

Gov. Forrest C. Donnell and Major General Frederick E. Uhl of Omaha, Seventh corps area commander, will be guest speakers at a dinner. A demonstration of the progress of troop training in the year's existence of the guard will be given.

He arrived in town yesterday for conferences with President Horace Stoneham and Manager Mel Ott and held a huddle with his old friends, the New York baseball writers. In the course of the conversation someone asked the suave Memphis farmer how long he expected to stay at the Giants' training camps.

"Well, till after all the players are signed, I guess," he replied in his quiet drawl.

Someone asked if signing the Giants' players were a part of Terry's task and he answered:

"Use your own judgment."

This led right smack into the question of what were Terry's duties and the inevitable signoff:

"I don't know what I'm going to have to do. I'm just a man of all work around the office."

He disclosed, however, that it was he who negotiated the deal for first baseman Johnny Mize of the Cardinals and that it was he who had talked to Mize recently by phone and ordered him to Hot Springs, Ark., to thaw off some weight.

"Mize told me his shoulder was all right," said Terry, and then in an aside added, "but he's probably fat as a pig."

He also disclosed that he had an agreement with the Cardinals that he could return the big slugger if his shoulder kept him from playing.

"When I . . . when we made the deal Branch Rickey assured me that his shoulder would be okay and I told him I'd send him back if it wasn't," he explained.

**Award Trophies To Great Hitters**

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—(P)—The specter of the highest batting average of all time hung today over the brows of baseball's two greatest hitters of 1941.

Boston baseball writers at their annual dinner last night paid tribute to Joe DiMaggio of the New York Yankees, who hit safely in 56 consecutive games, and to

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**TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

We respectfully solicit your support for Honorable Sam M. Wear, of Greene County, for the democratic nomination for Congress for this district.

Mr. Wear was born in Berry County, Missouri, and came to Springfield when his father, Mr. A. H. (Hunter) Wear, was appointed receiver of the United States Land Office at Springfield by President Cleveland. His father was one of the leading democrats of Southwest Missouri for many years and was twice elected Prosecuting Attorney of Greene County.

Sam M. Wear was educated in the public schools of Springfield and Drury College, where he received his A. B. Degree, and afterward attended Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tennessee, where he received his L. L. B. Degree.

His first political race was made for Prosecuting Attorney in Greene County in the year 1912, when he led the democratic ticket to victory, running twelve hundred votes ahead of his opponent. In 1914 he was reelected to the office of Prosecuting Attorney, being the only democrat elected in Greene County that year.

In 1920 he was Chairman of the Greene County Democratic Committee and of the Democratic Congressional Committee. In 1936 he was elected member of the Democratic State Committee, which position he still holds. Mr. Wear was permanent Chairman of the Democratic State Convention at Joplin in the year 1936.

His family consists of his wife, one daughter and three sons. One son, William A. Wear, is in the U. S. Naval Air Corp, at Corpus Christi, and another son, Charles W. Wear, is in the U. S. Army, stationed at Ft. Riley, Kansas.

Mr. Wear after graduating from law school, entered the practice of law in Springfield, Missouri and at once attracted attention as a brilliant young lawyer. As Prosecuting Attorney he made a record as a lawyer seldom equaled in Green County and so impressed himself upon the people of his county, and southwest Missouri in general, that on retiring from office he once acquired a splendid law practice which he has enjoyed during all the years. Few, if any, lawyers in southwest Missouri have participated in as many trials, both in the civil and criminal courts, as Mr. Wear, and his successful conduct in the trial of his cases have been remarkable. Notwithstanding the demands made upon him by his law practice, he has always found time to take an active part in politics. For years he has given of his time and talents to the service of the party, not only in the Sixth Congressional District, but anywhere in the State where he was needed.

He is a brilliant and convincing public speaker, a man of fine presence and high character and a personality that has made him popular with the people in all walks of life.

He has supported President Roosevelt and his administration with unyielding loyalty and as Congressman from the Sixth District will give to the administration the brilliant service that he is well qualified to render.

We heartily endorse his candidacy.

(Signed) Fred A. Moon, Chairman Greene County Democratic Central Committee.

(Signed) Howard Curtis, President Green County Young Democrats Club.

(Signed) Marie W. Schaller, President Roosevelt Womans Democrat Club of Greene County.

(Signed) J. P. O'Connor, President Veterans Democratic Club of Greene County.

(Signed) Harry D. Durst, President Jefferson Club of Greene County.



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